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Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 636

Chairperson: Lavon Heidemann
Committee: Appropriations
Date of Hearing: March 11, 2009

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

In 2013 the U.S. Senior Open Golf Tournament, sponsored by the U.S. Golf Association, will be played in Omaha, Nebraska. The projected economic impact of the event to the State of Nebraska is over \$30 million dollars. LB 636 appropriates \$500,000 to the Department of Economic Development in the next biennium to provide funding for promotional and visitor activities related to the hosting of the U.S. Senior Open. This is similar to other appropriations for national sporting events in the state.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Heath Mello